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In re Application of :  
Rosengaus et al. : DECISION ON PETITION  
Application No. 09/965,408 :  
Filed: September 25, 2001 :  
Atty Docket No. 5589-02701 :

This is a decision on the petition filed on March 14, 2002, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b), to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

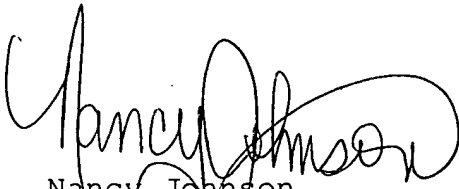
The above-identified application was abandoned for failure to timely file a proper reply to the final Office action mailed December 16, 2004. This Office action set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months from the mail date of the action. No proper reply having been received and no extension of time obtained, the application became abandoned effective March 17, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on August 10, 2005.

On petition, petitioner submitted the required reply in the form of a response after final, paid the petition fee, and made the required statement of unintentional delay. (As this application was filed after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.)

Technology Center AU 2877 has been advised of this decision. The application file is, thereby, forwarded to Technology Center

2877 for consideration of the response submitted on petition filed September 27, 2005.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3219.

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